REMARKS

In the Official Action, the Examiner required an election of one of the following groups of claims:

Group I: Cla

Claims 1-6 and 10-22 drawn to selecting via a web page a plurality of receipt programs associated with an intelligent appliance wherein the plurality of receipe programs are a subset of recipe programs chosen from a group of recipe program available to be chosen for the intelligent appliance; storing the selection of the plurality of recipe programs in a user profile at a location remote from the intelligent appliance; downloading at least one of the plurality of recipe programs to the intelligent appliance; receiving a message from the intelligent appliance requesting a new recipe program, the message being sent from the intelligent appliance without user intervention; and upon finding the new recipe program in a database, transmitting the new recipe to the intelligent appliance, classified in class 700, subclass 90.

Group II:

Claims 7 and 9, drawn to a user identifier element that identifies a record in a database an appliance identifier element linked to the user identifier element that identifies an intelligent appliance; a plurality of recipe program elements linked to the appliance identifier element; and un unique product code element associated with at least one of the plurality of recipe program elements, classified in class 707, subclass 1.

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In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement, Applicant elects to prosecute the claims of Group I. Accordingly, Claims 7 and 9 in Group II have been withdrawn.

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